

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

In re Appln. of: Paul Fredrick Luther Weindorf  
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LAYOUT OF SUPPLY LINES  
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**REPLY UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111**

In response to the Office Action mailed August 1, 2008, Applicant respectfully submits this paper comprising the following parts:

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